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Moran Was Committed an indefinite Term Simply for Contempt.

ALMOST GAVE UP HOPE.

Though Penniless, He Was Committed Till He Should Pay \$10,457.

IN PRISON FOR TWO YEARS.

The Journal Investigated His Case, and Yesterday There Was a Rehearing and an Order for Release.

I deeply appreciate the efforts that the Journal has made in my behalf, by giving full publicity to the details of my unhappy case, and calling attention to my sufferings. I feel that the full investigation of the facts regarding me, by the Journal, and its publication of them, have been a powerful aid in securing my release. Statement made by JOHN J. MORAN in Ludlow Street

Until yesterday, John J. Moran, old and feeble, feared that he would remain in Ludlow Street Jail for life, although a prisoner simply for contempt of court. But, owing to the efforts of the Journal, which on June 9 gave publicity to all the facts in his pitiful case, the entire matter was again brought before a court, and yesteraday morning an order was issued that will fresult in his release within a very few days—perhaps to-morrow.

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For twenty-three weary months Moran has been behind stone walls and iron bars. He never had a trial by jury; he was never BRIDE SAVED THE THIEF. yet he would, in all probability, have been in prison for life, had not the Journal called full attention to the enormity of the law under which he was committed.

Moran, who was sixty years of age, had time of his appointment, in May of 1892, as | bride on their honeymoon. The couple were called upon for an accounting, there was tipsy. He fell asleep on a stoop at Fortyfound a deficit of \$10,457. His accounts fourth street and Tenth avenue.

He said that all of his own money had en lost, as well as the trust funds. To

young woman had not gone a dozen steps when the man brushed past her and statched her gold watch. She shouted his solemn protestations of innocence any wrong intent, he was placed in fall thas little definite hope and knowledge the future as ever had a victim of the rocious lettres-decachet. The people of the York, who believe that the only crimals who are punishable by life imprisonent are murderers, men who have been a cond time convicted of burglary or forty in the first degree, and men convicted arson in the first degree, did not know at simple contempt of court was also us punishable.

Great Power of a Judge.

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And those who believe that there can be laws a judge may, in his sole discretion, commit a man to fall and keep him there for life. And under these laws men have sectually died in Ludiow Street Jail.

John Feanel, attorney for the prisoner, has worked inwearindly for his release, and various attempts have been made to secure in the law of the secure in the law of the same and the same in the law of the same and the same in the law of the same and the same in the little that is left of the Miner estate and to raise through friends nearly \$400 in cash. His wife offered to give an mortgage for \$1.200 an some property that stands in her name, More than this they said they could not do. The decision of Surrogate Arnold was forcing in the little that is left of the Miner estate and to raise through friends nearly \$400 in cash. His wife offered to give an mortgage for \$1.200 an some property that stands in her name, More than this they said they could not do. The decision of Surrogate Arnold was firefully say to continue his imprisonment, and it left that is large say the said they could not do. The decision of Surrogate Arnold was firefully say to continue his imprisonment, and it left that is large say that the same in the little say to continue his imprisonment, and it left that i have sufficient justification in adding him unable to endure it longer."

His imprisonment has extended over a one green and the same in the little say to continue a debtor in confine—we have the same and the same in the little say to continue a debtor in confine—we have the same and to raise through the same in the little say to continue a debtor in confine—we have the same in the same in her same in the little say to the same in the same in her same in the little say to the same in the same in the little say to the same in the s no imprisonment till a man has had a trial by a jury did did not know that under our Friday night that Edward Schickhaus, ex-

"It is not the policy of the law to continue a debtor in confine-ment, although it may lawfully be done, when no useful purpose can be served and further pun-ishment would be inhuman. I shall grant an order directing his re-se upon the conditions set forth." form when told of the order for his ease could scarcely control himself for

happiness,
"I hank all my friends who have been so good to me. I thank my lawyer, And, in particular, I thank the Journal." 6,39

Hays, aged nineteen months, of No. 474 Market street, Newark, N. J., was kicked in the head by a runaway horse yesterday morning and received injuries

which make his recovery doubtful.

The animal is owned by S. Yontiss, and The animal is owned by S. Yontiss, and was being driven by Harry Lowenthal, of No. 119 Prince atreet. One of the wheels of the wagen came off, and the horse dashed up Market street. As it passed the little child, which was sitting on the front stoop, it shied and kicked, its hoof striking the child just over the eye.

Dr. O'Relly attended the child. Lowenthal was taken to the Third Precinct Police Station and paroled pending the result of the child's injuries.

The Powers May Resort to Coercion Unless Mrs. Silverstein, of Boston, Searched All Out-Peace Is Speedily Con-

cluded. and Turkey is creating apprehensions and No. 24 Compton street, Boston. The police a strained situation is the result. Every- were called to her aid and searched all the thing tends to show that the Sultan Is destrous of gaining time, either in the hope of a disagreement of the powers or in order | not | to allow the excitement among the Mo-hammedans to calm down before yielding. The powers, however, remain united, and

are apparently determined not to yield anything but a strategic rectification of the The question most discussed in political circles is whether, in the event of the con-tumacy of Turkey, the powers will coerce her, and it is not believed they could be brought to act in unison on this point.

The prevalent opinion, however, is that the Sultan will finally yield. HE FOILED THE ROBBER.

Hanford Captured His Revolver and Forced Him to Seek Safety in Flight.

A bold attempt at highway robbery was made on Friday afternoon when a masked nan held up C. S. Hanford, a prosperous Westchester County farmer, at the point of a revolver. Hanford was on his way to his home at Lewisborough. He had just disposed of a dozen crates of berries and had considerable money with him.

While driving along a lonely road several miles from his farm a man sprang MARRIED LADIES-For from behind a stone wall and secured one of his horses by the bridle and pointed a revolver at his head. Hanford whipped up to his horses and the highwayman fired his revolver twice at his victim, both shots penetrating his hat. A hait was again dehurry. "Now then," said the road agent,

"Chick" Lahey Relieved the Bridegroom of His Watch and Was Caught in the Act, but Let Off Lightly.

George Green, a mechanic, of Abington. always borne a good reputation up to the Mass., came to town Thursday with his executor of the estate of John Miner, deceased. The sum of \$18,100 came into his No. 482 West Thirty-eighth street. Green hands, but when, on June 18, 1895, he was went out Friday to see the town, and got

were inextricably tangled. He had used
the trust money indiscriminately with his
own, in contract work in Brooklyn and San
Francisco, and at the World's Fair.

All Was Lost.

He sid the side of \$10,437. His accounts for the sleeping Green dangled a chain with

HE SNATCHED HER WATCH

Highwayman Followed Mrs. Freson When She Alighted from a Car and Was Caught.

When a stylishly dressed young woman dighted from a Sixth Avenle surface car at Thirty-third street and started down Broadway yesterday afternoon, other passengers noticed a man following her. a jury for his al- young woman had not gone a dozen steps

> Is Getting Better and Can Enjoy Reading LYSIS CO., 51 East 23d st. His Obituary Notices,

The report was current in Newark, N. J.,

Death of the Earl of Roden.
London, July 3.—The Earl of Roden is
fead. He was born June 5, 1828, and suchada.

1 2020 He was form.

WASSINGTON
7:55, 8:25, 9:25, 9:25, 9:25
Parlor and Dining Car
4:55 (Dining Car dead. He was born June 5, 1828, and succeeded to the title in 1880. He was formerly lieutenant colonel of the Scots Guards and served in the Crimean war.

Special Motices.

Particular, I thank the Journal." G 29

RUNAWAY HORSE KICKS BABY.

Nineteen-Months-Old John Hays May Die of the Injuries Received.

John Hays, aged nineteen months, of

LERCH .- On Thursday, July 1, 1897, Hugo, beloved husband of Caroline Lerch, aged lifty-

of the United Workmen, and Royal Council, No funeral services at his late residence, 595 Greene avenue, Brooklyn, to-day, July 4, at 3 p. m. Interment at Evergreen Cemetery.

CAN TURKEY HOLD OUT? HUSBAND AND \$1,500 GONE.

going Steamers for Them in Vain. Much excitement was caused on the Ham-Constantinople, July 3.—The delay terical efforts of Mrs. Mary Silverstein to n the peace negotiations between Greece find her sixty-year-old husband, John, of

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